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BOROUGH WILL LET CONTRACTS

Paving of Sections of Six Streets and Alleys May Begin Shortly

LICENSE ORDINANCES READ

Contracts are to be awarded probably April 4 for the grading and paving of six sections of streets and alleys as a result of ordinances passed by the borough council and signed by Burgess S. L. Woodward Tuesday evening. The streets and alleys on which improvements will be made are Fifth street from Blythe alley to the borough line Crest avenue from Second to Fourth street, Fourth street from Crest to Meadow avenue, Long alley from Ninth to Eleventh street, Cherry alley from Third alley to Fourth street and Third alley from Long alley to Washington avenue. Bids are being asked on the work to be in by the first Tuesday in April.

Council met in regular session Tuesday evening with all members present and President D. R. Duvall in the chair. The ordinances were among the chief items of business taken up. In addition to the paving ordinances, three new ones were considered for the first time. One of them relates to the licensing of teamsters on a new basis proposed by council. Another calls for the licensing of jitney busses and other motor vehicles used for money making purposes and another permitting C. E. Piper to extend windows of his pharmacy a short distance over the sidewalk at the corner of Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue. The Piper ordinance was returned to the borough solicitor to make changes.

In line with the custom of changing matters about council placed an expired insurance policy on the lock-up building held with Hepler Bros., in the hands of Andrew Dubinsky.

Joseph Schoener was present complaining about surface water damaging his property. Edward Stech was present to ask council for information as to sidewalk laying in front of his property on Eleventh street near Meadow avenue. Schoener's complaint was referred to the street commisioner and Stech was notified to lay his sidewalk.

REV. JOHNSON PREACHES ON THE THEME "BACK TO BETHEL"

Rev. Ben S. Johnson who is conducting evangelistic services at the First Christian church took as his subject Tuesday evening "Back to Bethel." The song service under the direction of Rev. E. N. Duty, was interspersed with two special numbers, one by the choir and another a trio composed of Emily Carnahan, Beulah Holman and Kenneth Holman, members of the Junior choir. This evening Rev. Johnson's subject will be "The Night Cometh." The Star class quartet will sing at this evening's meeting.

FREIGHT TRAIN BREAKS; PASSENGER IS DELAYED

When a freight train broke in two near Charleroi Tuesday evening the passenger train going through here at about five o'clock down river was delayed several minutes.

WIFE'S AFFECTIONS GONE; GETS AWARD OF DAMAGES

B. Lee Miller of Peters' Township Receives $1,000—Oil Man is Under Accusation.

Following a sensational trial, B. Lee Miller a farmer of Peters township Tuesday was awarded $1,000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections by U. Grant Hill, an oil man. Prior to Hill's recent marriage he resided with the Miller family and it was during this period that the plaintiff asserted Hill stole Mrs. Miller's heart.

Mrs. Miller, who is now with her husband under a "good conduct" agreement testified for Miller. Hill whose pretty young wife was with him in court aserted that the prosecution was a "frameup" on the part of Miller, who she averred was endeavoring to extort money. Miller had sued for $10,000.

CONSTRUCTION WORK HELD UP

Bad Weather is Interfering With Progress on Proposed School Additions

SCHOOL BOARD HAS MEETING

Bad weather only is interfering with the starting of excavation work for new additions to be built to the Charleroi high school building. The contracts have been signed, plans accepted and all arrangements made for the beginning of work. The Charleroi Lumber company holds the contract and the sum of $25,000 has been set aside for the completion of the building. Plans call for wings to be constructed.

The school board held a regular semi-monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the rooms of the Charleroi Savings' and Trust company, but there was little business to be taken up, consequently there was an early adjournment. About the only routine business conisdered was that of the payment of three bills.

BLACK DIAMOND MINE TO BE ELECTRIFIED

Power to be Turned in Shortly and Sub Station Erected—Lovedale Mine Contracts Signed by Pittsburg Coal Company.

Employes of the West Penn Power company are engaged at present in the construction of a high power line to the Black Diamond mine of the Pittsburg Coal company, preparatory to turning in power for the operation of the mine with electricity. A sub-station will be erected on the W. H. Wickerham farm at Eldora. This remains to be built. The Black Diamond and Lovedale mines are the only ones in the Monongahela district belonging to the Pittsburg Coal company that are not operated by electricity. The work is under way at Black Diamond and contracts have been signed for the installation of "juice" at Lovedale.

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TAX LEVY MATTERS GIVEN ATTENTION

North Charleroi Borough Council Instructs Finance Committee to Prepare Budget—End to be Put to Rowdyism at the Bridge

Matters pertaining to the finances of North Charleroi borough were considered by North Charleroi council at a called meeting held in the borough building there Tuesday evening. The result of the discussion was that the finance committee consisting of Elmore Houston, T. P. Sloan and Elmer Crabb was instructed to prepare a budget of probable receipts and expenditures for the coming year for presentation at the next regular meeting April 3, at which time the levy will likely be set. Fifteen mills is the present tax levy at North Charleroi. Solicitor, D. M. McCloskey, was present at the meeting to go over the tax levy matters.

In the absence of President Elmore Houston, Councilman T. P. Sloan occupied the chair pro tem with Councilman Charles Miller, Elmer Craig and James Johns present.

Auditors Harry Williams and George L. Kenyon presented their report and it was acepted, with instructions that it be posted.

Complaints were made that there had been rowdyism at the Monesen-Charleroi bridge and the police committee consisting of Councilman Miller and Houston and Burgess P.E. Franks was instructed to take means to prohibit such.

A list of members of the volunteer fire department was presented by Secretary T. P. Sharpnack and accepted. Center avenue grade matters were discussed but no definite action taken.

HEAVY RAINS AND THAW RESULT IN HIGH RIVER

Flood of Serious Proportions Feared Along Monongahela River—Reports From Headwaters Show That Rainfall Was Heavy.

Heavy rains and a general thaw along the Monongahela river headwaters during Tuesday night and this morning have resulted in a high river, and one of the worst floods in history is feared. At Lock No. 4 the river was rising at the rate of one foot an hour all morning and this afternoon and at about 2 o'clock had approached 21 feet.

News from Rowesburg, W. Va., showed the rainfall to be 1.24 inches at Fairmont 1.02 inches and at Greensboro 1.20 inches, with the river rising an average of two feet at Fairmont and Greensboro. The rainfall at Lock No. 4 was 1.9 inches. Along the Cheat basins there has been a thaw of mountain snow and streams are swollen.

This is about the time of the year when floods occur usually, and on account of the conditions in the Monongahela basin and contributing streams, apprehensions are general.

FURTHER ADVANCES IN SHOE PRICES REPORTED

War Consumption and Other Reasons Given by Manufacturers For Increases—Better Shoes to be Had Now Than There Will be in Six Months.

Reports from Boston indicate that New England shoe factories are now busy filling orders with a new season coming along that promises more. A situation is developing, however, that suggests embarrassments because of the diminishing supply of raw material. Leather is both scarce in quantity and high in price.

Under prevailing conditions tanners are not willing to accept orders on long contracts at a definite price. Manufacturers find it impossible to calculate the cost of manufacture of the goods to be sold later and it is estimated that advances of $1 to $1.50 at retail will be made. The shoes now on the market are better and cheaper in value than they will be six months hence—unless a flood of leather is poured in; unless labor ceases to demand advances, and unless the almost impossible happens.

All this advance is due to the increased demand for leather for war consumption the stopping of supplies of raw material and of accessories that are required in producing the various materials of shoes.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ARRANGE BIG MEETING

Hosts to Assemble at Monessen Friday Night Where Initiation Will be Feature—Canonsburg Uniform Rank Will Give Drill Exhibition.

Arrangements are being made for a big meeting and initiation to be held at Monessen Friday evening of this week, the gathering to be featured by the presence of Supreme Commander Young of McKeesport and his party, as well as by the presence of numerous visitors from various sections. Hancock Lodge of Washington will confer a degree on a class of 15 candidates from Monongahela, Charleroi, Canonsburg and Monessen. Preceding the evening meeting a parade will be held at 7:30 o'clock, led by a brass band. A feature immediately following the parade will be an exhibition drill given by the uniform rank of the Canonsburg lodge which took prizes two successive years at annual conventions.

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200,000 FOOT GAS WELL IN GREENE AS BROUGHT IN

A gas well brought in Tuesday on the Hook farm, two miles south of Waynesburg on Smith creek, will make 900,000 feet daily, according to official tests. The main pocket was struck 25 feet below the Byard sand. In the Big Injuns and a smaller pocket which produced a flow of 200,000 feet was struck but drilling was continued. Considering the fact that the territory has been drilled once the well is a good one. It is the under lease by the Philadelphia company.

ALLEGED DRUG SELLER IS ARRESTED AT BROWNSVILLE

Investigations Being Made Into Sensational Case by Fayette County Detective and Other Authorities.

Following the arrest of W. H. Jones a colored barber at Brownsville, investigations are being made by Fayette County Detective J. J. Smith and other authorities into the selling of cocaine and heroin in the Brownsville vicinity. Several have reported as users of the "dope," without the police being able to get information as to the source of supply until Tuesday when Jones was apprehended while imitating animals on the street. Some sensation is connected with the arrest. Jones first said he got the drugs from a Uniontown pharmacy but later maintained he procured them from a peddler in a county seat hotel. He has been taken to the Uniontown jail to await the outcome.

EPIDEMIC OF MEASLES FELT

Monongahela Has Nearly 75 Cases—Other Towns Report Disease

CHARLEROI HAS 18 CASES

More or less of a measles' epidemic is raging in the Monongahela valley in the vicinity of which Charleroi is the center. Monongahela is particularly hard hit, there being from 50 to 75 cases raging there now. In Charleroi there are according to the report of Dr. A. O. Davis, secretary of the health board 18 cases.

At Donora since last September, Miss Elizabeth Ostrander, secretary, reports there have been over 300 cases of measles, though all have been of a light form. Approximately 25 cases are now under quarantine.

Monongahela is endeavoring to control the situation with doctors and health authorities joining hands. At Monessen where a severe epidemic raged last fall there are but about six cases, Dr. D. C. Farquhar, secretary, states. L. M. Truxal, the health board secretary at Belle Vernon says there are four cases of measles and six cases of typhoid fever.

CHURCH SUPPER NETS MISSION CIRCLE $82, REPORTS SHOW

The sum of $82 was realized on a supper served by the Mission Circle of the First Baptist church at the church several days ago, according to reports made at the regular meeting of the Circle at the church Tuesday afternoon. The hostess for the afternoon's meeting was Miss Elizabeth Bell. The discussion and study of the book, 'The King's Highway" was continued. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Barley is one of the most healthful, nutritious and palatable foods. In the form of BREAKFAST BARLEY it is most easily digested. 237-t1

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TROUBLE ALONG RAILROAD LINES

Landslides Cause Delays--B. & O. Forced to Suspend Service Into Uniontown

REDSTONE CREEK RAMPAGING

Traffic has been badly disarranged and in at least one instance there has been a forced discontinuation of service as a direct result of the heavy rains and accompanying general thaw of Tuesday night. Landslides on branch and through lines of the Pennsylvania and Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad systems necessitated annoying delays and tieups in passenger and freight service this morning, while Baltimore and Ohio service into Uniontown was stopped by the flooded waters of Redstone creek which overflowed the banks and covered the railroad tracks at Redstone Junction. Such is the condition of affairs on railroad, as well as electric lines, that traffic men are apprehensive of numerous more dangerous slides.

On the Rices Landing branch of the Pennsylvania system this morning a slide of no small proportions occurred not far from Bescoe. The result was that trains were delayed two hours. On the Monongahela Railroad Fairmont trains were delayed a similar time by a landslide. Opposite Monongahela on the P. & L. E. a work force was out all morning clearing away a slide.

Reports from along the Monongahela valley indicate the worst is to be feared. One of the large contributing streams is Redstone creek and it is flooded. Pike Run at Coal Centre is on a rampage and other creeks emptying into the Monongahela are swollen from bank to bank while the river has backed up into the lowlands. There is danger but every means is being taken to prevent destruction of property.

ENGINEER BROWN ELECTED TO FAMED ORGANIZATION

Former Charleroi Borough Engineer Named to American Society of Civil Engineers—Located Now in Ohio.

Harvey F. Brown, former borough engineer of Charleroi, has recently been elected to associate membership in the American Society of Civil Engineers. This society is a prosperous organization of international reputation whose members are closely associated with all engineering frats. Membership in the society is by merit and means an unqualified recommendation that is much coveted by all civil engineers. Election to the society means much to Mr. Brown.

Mr. Brown is now located in Williams county, Ohio, as an attache of a branch of the highway department. Speaking of his work Mr. Brown noted that the county is just awaking to the good roads proposition and something like 60 miles has been petitioned for and granted. Contracts for about 30 or 40 miles this year.

Dawson's Millinery Opening, Saturday, March 25. New location, 42 Fallowfield avenue. 237-t

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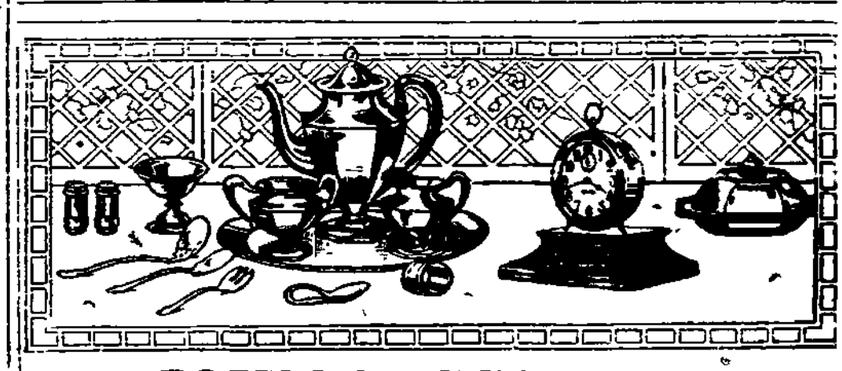

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PEACE AT HAND.

From many quarters predictions of early peace are coming. There is little on the surface more than has been apparent for months upon which to base such hopes, but the prevailing tone from abroad has undergone a transformation in the past few weeks. When formerly nothing was heard from both sides but the unreasoned intention of fighting to the last vestige of strength, now the feeling is that peace is not long to be deferred, according to the Uniontown Herald.

It will end in a draw by reason of which there will be little or no change in the territorial extent of the larger participants. It will be different in the Balkans. These tinderboxes will be robbed of their infinite capacity for starting conflagrations. Poland will be made into a buffer state between Germany and Russia. None of the principals will receive that territorial expansion which formed such an invitation to slaughter.

They have practically decided that the task of breaking the long deadlock is greater than the results justify. They might well have decided this a year ago, but "national honor" and other piffle of the same character stood in the way.

Both groups of belligerents are busy forming commercial and tariff unions with the purpose of extending or holding the world commerce for the sake of which they plunged into the war. Having failed at this the vain sacrifice of so many lives and so much treasure will afford a driving power to a trade war of greater intensity even than the struggle at the cannon's mouth. Neither will have respect for the rights or wishes of the United States. They will have gained a healthy respect for each other through the deadly grapple in which they have been engaged.

Only through the most energetic and most capable leadership can the United States share in the world's trade to any appreciable extent. It will tax our every resource of ingenuity to prevent dangerous encroachment on our home markets. The election of a Republican administration this fall with the restoration of tested economic policies will be the best possible insurance against this menace as it will be the best possible method to insure peace in our foreign relations.

* PICKED UP IN PASSING *

A commission merchant turned to his office boy and said:

"Tom, go into the next room and find the dictionary. Look up the word 'desiccate.'"

Tom disappeared, but did not return. The merchant put aside the letter and turned his attention to other things. In a little while he remembered about the boy and went out to look for him. Tom, with dictionary on his knees was studying it intently.

"What are you doing, Tom?" asked the merchant.

"I forgot the word, so I'm looking through the book."

The merchant nearly fainted.

"How far have you got?" he asked.

"Just finishing the fourth page, sir," replied Tom.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Wonder if the Ford peace tour was a punitive expedition.

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The first process of city planing should be elimination of land speculation opines an exchange. Planing is a good word in the sense, even if planning is meant.

CALIFORNIA PHYSICIAN NOW ASKING A DIVORCE

Dr. C. W. Yarnall of California a well known physician of that community Monday instituted divorce proceedings against his wife, Allie Yarnall. He charges her with cruel and barbarous treatment Mr. and Mrs. Yarnall were married on October 15 1886, and have five adult children. They have had domestic differences for some time.

There is already pending a divorce action in which Mrs. Yarnall is the libellant. In this action she charges her husband with infidelity and her niece is named as correspondent

Mary Bebout, now residing with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Dornberger, of Washington has filed a divorce against her husband, Allen William Bebout.

George Dzuba, of Donora, seeks seperation from his wife, Anna Dzuba, on the grouds of infidelity. They were married June 16, 1910 and lived together until March 2, 1916.

Jessie Maud Wood, of Monongahela, has filed a suit in divorce against Joseph Hall Wood. They were married at Brownsville on December 10, 1898. Desertion is allegod. He left her on May 11,1908.

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AGED LABORER FOUND DEAD ON FLOOR OF BRICK PLANT

John Henderson aged 70 years, employed as a laborer for six weeks past at the Tempest Brick works at Gallatin,near Monongahela, was found dead on the "dry floor" of the plant this morning at 9 o'clock supposedly from alcoholism. Nothing much is known of the man. He came to Gallatin from parts unknown and without saying much of himself obtained employment. He is said to have been drinking hard. Henderson is said to have a wife and five children living at Connellsville.

Deeds Recorded.

March 3, 1915—Frederick Pinfold et ux, to Joseph A. Herron, Monongahela a lot 16 by 120 feet in the First ward, Monongahela; also two lots fronting 44 feet on Washington avenue, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration $1.

March 14. 1916—Joseph A. Herron et ux, Monongahela to John Turczer et ux, Charleroi, two lots fronting 44 feet on Washington avenue. Charleroi, and extending back 100 feet; consideration $2,800.

March 9, 1916—Charles Wonzer, Charleroi to James Monack, Charleroi a lot fronting 35 feet on Oakland avenue, Charleroi and extending back 130 feet; consideration $1.000.

LYCEUM SENIORS WIN FROM LYCEUM JUNIORS

The Lyceum Seniors defeated the Juniors on the Lyceum alleys Tuesday night in an interesting and close match. the Seniors overcoming a lead of 123 pins in the last game. Dolphi of the Seniors had high score in one game of 150 and high average in 3 games of 127.

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Leider	111	99	—
Martinet	112	102	114
Dolphi	123	104	150
Riley	85	90	110
Sannier	—	—	108
JUNIORS—			
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FEATHERWEIGHTS WILL CLASH HERE SATURDAY

Young Goldie and Barney McGuire, Aspirants For the Championship Title, Engaged for Main Bout at The Rink—Rest of Card Good

The same night that Jess Willard and Frank Moran face each other in New York, next Saturday, for the heavyweight championship of the world, there will be staged a battle between two aspiring featherweights of Pennsylvania at Charleroi. These battlers are Barney McGuire,known as the Johnstown Flash, and Young Goldie, the sensational young Pittsburg fighter. McGuire has done wonderful work in the ring during the last two years having been given newspaper decisions over such men as Johnny Ray, Orange Kegg, Babe Picato,Eddie Wimler, Matt Gorman and others. Young Goldie is equally as noted.

The rest of the card Saturday night will be in keeping. The semi-final is to be between Kid Levo of New Kensington and Chick Rodgers of Mount Washington. Levo gained note by a fight with Eddie Wimler and Tommy Levine. Rodgers is widely known throughout the Pittsburg district.

In the second bout Joe Laruc of Charleroi is to clash with Budd Gregg of Castle Shannon. This will be Laruc's hardest test and in a sense will determine his status as a fighter. Gregg has met such men as Bull Miller, Fritz Elsner and Eddie Nevil. The opening engagement at the Saturday show will be between Young Pincho and Kid Kutze, both of Charleroi, this fight to be for the bantam championship of Charleroi.

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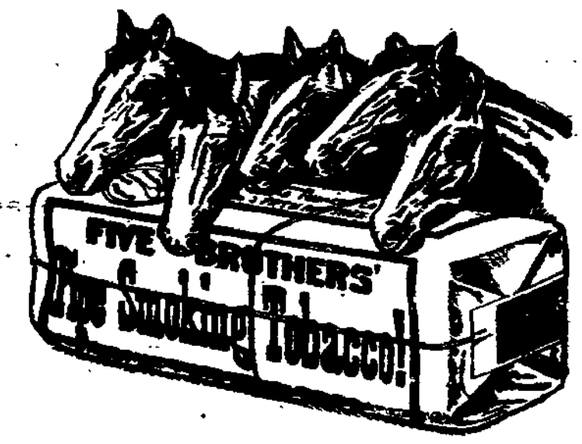

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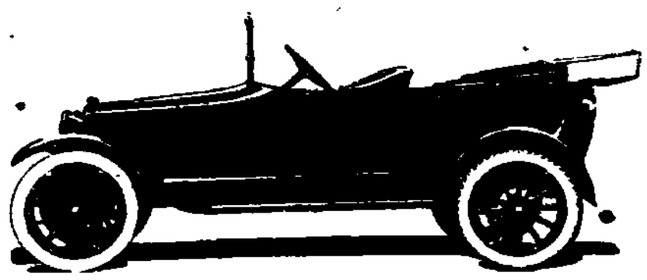

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Camel cigarettes are worthy of your confidence because they'll stand any test for satisfaction *and for quality!* Do not look for or expect coupons or premiums. *The value is in the cigarettes!*

The stamp placed over end seals the package, which keeps out air, thereby preserving the quality of the blended tobaccos. By inserting the fingers as illustrated, the stamp easily breaks without tearing the tin foil, which folds back into its place.

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages, 20 for 10c; or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton for $1.00. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

And the more Camels you smoke the more you'll realize you prefer this *blend* to either kind of tobacco smoked straight!

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY
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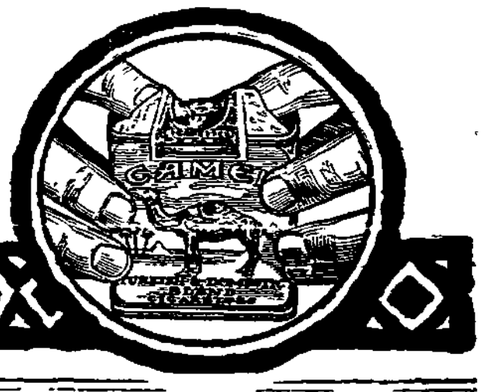

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received by the Borough Clerk of the Borough of Charleroi for grading, paving and curbing Fifth street between Blythe Alley and West borough line, Crest avenue between Second street and Fifth street, Fourth street between Crest and Meadow avenues, Cherry alley between Third alley and Fourth street, Third alley between Long alley and Washington avenue and Long alley between Ninth street and Eleventh street. Plans and specifications can be seen at Borough Engineers office. All bids to be in hands of Borough Clerk on or before 7 p m., April 4. 1916. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk.
Charleroi, Pa., March 22, 1916.
M-22-24

SPECIAL NOTICE TO GROCERS. In recommending BREAKFAST BARLEY to your customers you are offering a cereal that will please and satisfy consumers. 237-t1

FOR OVERWORKED WOMEN

This is the season of the year when the wife and mother begins to feel the strain of household and social duties and gets into a run-down, nervous, weakened condition. To all such our local druggists Piper's Drug Store say. "We have a rare combination of the three oldest tonics known in Pinol which we guarantee to restore strength, make you act better, sleep better and feel better, or we will return your money."

Dawson's Millinery Opening, Saturday, March 25. New location. 429 Fallowfield avenue. 237-t3

Safety razor blades sharpened. Single edged 25c per dozen. Double edged 30c per dozen. Any make. We have just installed an Henderson sharpening machine the best on the market. Work guaranteed and done on short notice. Thomas Tomlinson, Jeweler, opposite postoffice. 233-tf

Masquerade Ball to be Held.

Tonight at Turner Hall an annual Hebrew Masquerade and Civic ball will be held in charge of a local committee.

WHY not give *your lad* the same training?

"When I was a growing lad, and came upon many words in my reading that I did not understand, my mother, instead of giving me the definition when I applied to her, uniformly sent me to the dictionary to learn it, and in this way I gradually learned many things besides the meaning of the individual word in question—among other things, how to use a dictionary, and the great pleasure and advantage there might be in the use of the dictionary. Afterwards, when I went to the village school, my chief diversion, after lessons were learned and before they were recited, was in turning over the pages of the 'Unabridged' of those days. Now the most modern Unabridged—the NEW INTERNATIONAL—gives me a pleasure of the same sort. So far as my knowledge extends, it is at present the best of the one-volume dictionaries, and quite sufficient for all ordinary uses. Even those who possess the splendid dictionaries in several volumes will yet find it a great convenience to have this, which is so compact, so full, and so trustworthy as to leave, in most cases, little to be desired." Albert S. Cook, Ph.D., LL.D., Professor of the English Language and Literature, Yale Univ. April 28, 1911.

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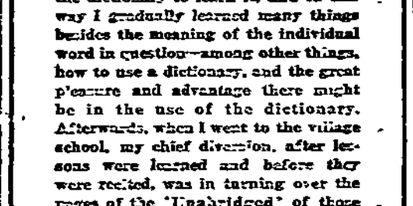
Springtime is Coming
BUY A MOTORCYCLE OR A BICYCLE

Look for the "X" Sign at 223 Fallowfield Avenue.



EXCELSIOR Lightweight. 2 speed $135.00

See the famous Excelsior Bicycle, "Has Them All Beat".

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Charleroi, Pa.

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Why bear those pains?
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Opening
Spring Fashions

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
March 23rd, 24th and 25th

Spring Millinery, Dresses, Suits Coats, Walsts, Skirts, Lingerie, Gloves, Corsets

Silks, Laces, Embroideries, Dress Goods, Cottons

We will present a wonderful array of beautiful and exclusive models that come to us direct from the latest fashion centers of the East, as well as the exceptional lines of our own late style models—created in our own work room; by our own Milliner; everyone is perfectly made and cleverly designed. Stylish Hats that are sure to please you.

We have for this spring Opening twenty-five real Gage Hats—Ready-to-wear—made by the celebrated firm of Gage Brothers of Chicago and New York—famous for their styles. Our Millinery Department will be in charge of Miss Gable—she is new to us but a trimmer of large experience—and comes highly recommended—and we are pleased to have you meet her—also see the exquisite line of Handsome Trimmed Mats from our work room.

Our lines of Wearing Apparel for Lady and Miss is most complete. The New Suits in silk and serge combinations are very popular—and selling everywhere. You will admire these—as well almost as the all-silk Suits—which will be the hit of the season. Serges, Gaberdines. Poplins and Mixtures will be worn again in abundance Our prices range for reliable suits at $15.00, $16.50, $18.50, $20.00, $25.00, $30.00 and $35.00.

New Coats—snappy new spring styles for Lady. Miss and Child—New Spring Dresses in taffeta and crepe-de-chene and Geergette combinations—they are very, very stylish. Don't forget that we have this year added to our line—The North Shore Wash Dresses for Lady, Miss and Child. These range in price at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, to $3.50. They are made in a most careful and painstaking manner, producing a garment at little prices that will make every woman, neat, dainty, and attractive looking every day in her own home—Also there is a great Add Writing Contest open to all until April 15. The North Shore Dress Company offers six trips to famous Gloscester, the great summer resort on the coast of Massachusetts. And in addition there are six North Shore Dresses to be given by this store for the six best adds submitted to this store—now get busy—learn about these dresses—get up a snappy clean cut add about these dresses and win one of these prizes.

Opening will find every department waiting for your visit—Do come—Bring your friends. We invite you—the whole store is filled with delightful new Spring goods.

Every lady visitor Thursday afternoon will receive a dainty and useful souvenir. We invite you most cordially.

J.W. BERRYMAN & SON
Charleroi, Pa.

Worth Careful Thought

Do you read the label to know whether your baking powder is made from cream of tartar or, on the other hand, from alum or phosphate?

Royal Baking Powder is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes, and adds to the food only wholesome qualities.

Other baking powders contain alum or phosphate, both of mineral origin, and used as substitutes for cream of tartar because of their cheapness.

Never sacrifice quality and healthfulness for low price.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.
New York

Past Grand's Association.

The Past Grand's association of Washington county of the I. O. O. F., will meet in Canonsburg on May 1. A number of Odd Fellows from Charleroi will likely attend this meeting, which will be featured by the intiation of a large class ready to take the degrees.

On or about APRIL 1st

Abe Levinson

will occupy the room in Bank of Charleroi Building.

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WANTED—Two or three rooms for light housekeeping. 684 Mail office. 237-t2p

FOR SALE—Cheap. Horse, harness and wagon, 616 McKean avenue. Phone 206—W. 237-t3p

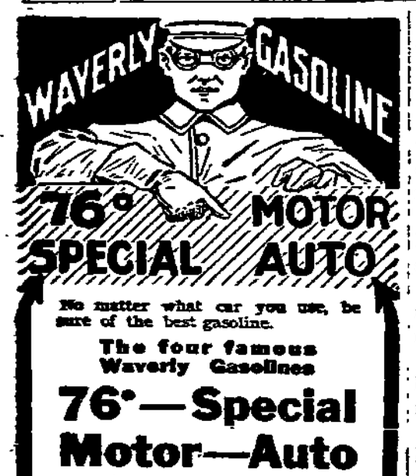
FOUND—Pocketbook between Third and Fourth on Washington avenue. Owner may have same by calling at 318 Washington avenue, identifying property and paying for this ad. 237-t1p

FOR SALE—Gas range, stair carpet, rugs, furniture etc. C. R. Newcomer shoe store. 237-t2

EXPRESS MESSENGER LAID UP A FEW DAYS

John S. Schafer of Charleroi, an express messenger employed on the Monongahela Railroad out of Pittsburg, was taken off his train here this morning suffered from sprained ligaments of his back and side. He will probably be laid up a few days from the injuries.

Attend Berryman's Spring Opening Thursday, March 23. 236-t2



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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. B. James visited over Saturday and Sunday at Scott Haven with her father, being joined on Sunday by her husband Dr. C. B. James returning home Monday.

Mrs. Mary Cozad and Miss Zeta Nickeson have gone to Ingram to spend the week with relatives.

Thomas McDermott of Crest avenue was a Pittsburg visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Nelson of Monongahela visited with friends in Charleroi Tuesday.

Mrs. C. F. Thompson and Mrs. Kerfoot W. Daly of Fifth street were Pittsburg visitors Wednesday.

J. K. Bush of Brownsville was a business caller in town Tuesday.

G. W. Dawson spent Wednesday in Pittsburg.

Miss Ruth Majors of Donora visited with friends in Charleroi Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clark Lancaster went to a Pittsburg hospital Wednesday to undergo an operation.

W. A. Miksch of McKean avenue was a business caller in Pittsburg Tuesday.

C. R. Newcomer was a business caller in Brownsville Tuesday.

A birthday party was given in honor to Miss Anna Mae Shepard at her home on McKean avenue Tuesday evening. About eighteen were present. The hostess was the recipent of many gifts.

MOVIE MESSENGER IS APPENDICITIS VICTIM

Albert Creed Succumbs to Attack Following Operation Performed at Pittsburg Hospital.

From appendicitis, for which he underwent an operation at Pittsburg, Albert Creed known as the messenger for moving picture concerns from this vicinity is dead at the home of a sister in Pittsburg. He contracted what was diagnosed as grip Later he was sent to a hospital and there an operation from which he failed to rally was performed. His death occurred Tuesday night at 11:05 o'clock. Creed was well known here. He carried moving picture reels to and from Pittsburg for theatres in Monongahela, Donora, Monessen and Charleroi.

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Turning a crank at one corner of a new kitchen cabinet raises or lowers it to suit the height of a person using it.

THAT KNIFE LIKE PAIN

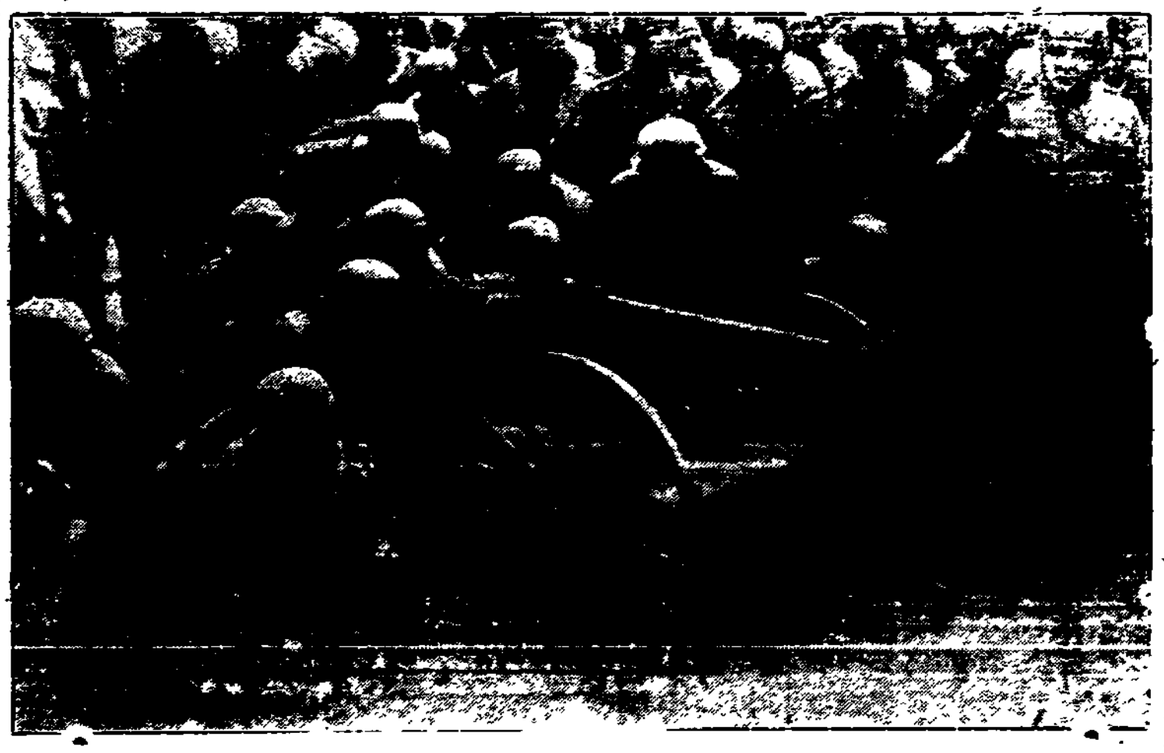
Is Only One of Nature's Warnings Of Weak or Disordered Kidneys.

Have you a lame back, aching day and night? Do you feel sharp pains after stooping? Are the kidneys sore? Is their action irregular? Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine recommended by so many Charleroi people. Real this case:

Mrs. D. F. Worthington, 914 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, says: "I was troubled by backache for years. The pains were so intense at time it made me sick all over. In the morning when I tried to get up, I was worse. Whenever I stooped a sharp pain darted through me and I could hardly catch my breath. Often it was just as though a knife was being stuck into me. I was tired all the time. I had rheumatic pains throughout my body and my feet became swollen. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper Bros.' Drug Store, relieved me of all symptoms of the trouble. I now take Doan's Kidney Pills once in awhile as a kidney tonic and they always help me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the some that Mrs. Worthington had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Bualo, N. Y.

"THE BATTLE CRY of PEACE"



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